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[Surgeon General,

Army Medical Museum + Library

Washington, D.C.]

Will the Editor please insert

War Department,
Office of the Surgeon General,
Army Medical Museum and Library,
Washington, D. C.,

April 14, 1916.

To the Editor:

The Army Medical Museum possesses a valuable collection of medals relating to medicine, which was started and fostered by the late Dr. John S. Billings, and it is highly desirable that this collection should be added to and completed, as far as possible. To this end, the assistance and advice of physicians who are collectors of medical medals is respectfully solicited. The Museum appropriations will avail to purchase individual medals which are not in our collections, the purchase of private collections, or of individual items in them, will be carefully considered, private donations of separate medals or groups of medals will be most welcome and will be duly credited to the donors, and the transmission of catalogues of medals for sale is requested. If physician-collectors will bring this notice to the attention of antiquarian establishments having medals for sale, the favor will be most highly appreciated.

L. C. McQuinn
Lt. Col., Medical Corps, U. S. Army,
Librarian, Surgeon General's Office.

April 18, 1916.

Lieut. Col. C.C. McCulloch, Jr.

Librarian, Surgeon General Office,

Army Medical Museum and Library,

War Department, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of April 14th to the Editor of the American Journal of Numismatics, at hand.

Our publication is now an annual volume containing only lengthy articles without notices or advertisements of any kind, so that there is no place to put your notice concerning donation of medical medals to the Army Medical Museum.

I have sent a copy of your communication to Mr. F. D. Duffield, 1181 Mosher Street, Baltimore, Md., with the request that he insert it in the Numismatist. The copy that you sent me, I will give as much publicity as available in our own building.

I remain,

Very truly yours,